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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
ALPAR ET AL.)
Serial No.: 09/937,066) Examiner: Hines, Jana A.
Filing Date: September 20, 2001) Art Unit: 1645
For: POLYCATIONIC CARBOHYDRATES)
AS IMMUNOSTIMULANTS IN VACCINES)

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed October 1, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the following amendments and remarks. Submitted herewith is a petition for a two-month extension of time set to expire March 1, 2005. A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed to cover the two-month extension of time fee. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9.

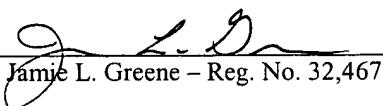
Conclusion begins on page 15.

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